The Daily Courant.

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Nevis, April 16.

THE French when they left St. Chriſtophers return'd to *Martineco* with their Plunder, and were reinforc'd by a freſh Squadron of Ships of War and Forces from France, but laſt from Canada. The 21ſt of *March* at Noon our Alarm Guns were fir'd, and before Night we diſcover'd their Fleet conſiſting of 60 odd Sail, bearing to the Iſland. We made the utmoſt haſte to put our ſelves into a Poſture of Defence, and ſtrengthen the *Places* we judg'd requir'd it; but the Enemy deceiv'd us, and ſtole their Landing on Good-Friday Morning before Day, at Green-Bay: The major Part of our Forces were on the other ſide of the Iſland beyond Cade's-Bay. Their unexpected landing ſurpriz'd us, however our Officers muſter'd what few Forces they could, and march'd directly to the Enemy, who by that time had got all their Forces on Shore, and were advanc'd to Pelican *Point* Fort, which fir'd on them in their march. On the Hill above Bath *Plain*, our Handful of *Men* engag'd them ſmartly for ſome time, doing them much Miſchief; but were repuls'd by their great Number: Collonel Daniel Smith was wounded by a *Muſquet* Ball. Next Day we march'd with our Body of leſs than 150 Men to the Enemy, who by that time had taken the Forts and plunder'd the Town, (from whence we could not remove any thing) and we advanc'd half Way to Collonel Butler's. At *M.* Bevon's Morning Star, an open Field, we engag'd their main Body conſiſting of 3500 Men; (a Piece of Fool-Hardineſs;) here was a very warm Diſpute, we knock'd down 3 pair of Colours out of 12, they kill'd Major William Childe our Troop Major. Our People retir'd to the Deodand: Collonel Butler's Houſe was fir'd. Sunday Morning the Enemy came up to us; we then ſurrendred the Place and Iſland on the following *Conditions* [*A.*] So the Iſland with all our Goods, Negroes, and Works are utterly loſt. The French have been here 16 Days getting in the Negroes; 3 Parts of the Town and moſt of the Houſes in the Country are burnt: Not a *Merchant* able to ſave his Effects: In ſhort here is a general Deſolation. The French ſince they have us under theſe Conditions, do what they pleaſe; for they burnt moſt part of the Houſes ſince the Capitulation, and kept cloſe Priſoners the principal Inhabitants. The French took above 20 Veſſels in the Road, among them the Guima Frigate. The 8th of April our Grandy *Men* were forc'd to a new Agreement, [*B*] being carried on board and threaten'd with hard Uſage and old France, notwithſtanding the firſt Agreement, which they pretend we broke by not delivering up all the Negroes, they not having got above 3200 out of 6700; ſo they oblig'd them to deliver 1400 more, or pay 30 l. per Head. Having done this and got Hoſtages, viz. Mr. Abbot, Mr. Stanly, Mr. de Wit, and Mr. Earle, they left us the 20th at Night in a Hurry, having News of 14 tall Ships off *Barbadoes*, which they fear'd were Engliſh; but we have Advice they prove to be French. When the French took a Liſt of us we were not quite 400; they had between 5 and 6000 Men on Shore, and about 3000 more on board: The Commander in Chief is Monſieur d'Iberville a Native of Canada.

It is to be hop'd Notice will be taken of our being impriſon'd, almoſt ſtarv'd and barbarouſly us'd, contrary to the Articles and the Uſage we give to their Men when they happen into our Hands.

[*A.*] *Conditions* given by Monſieur d'Iberville Commander of a Squadron of his *Majeſty's* Ships in America, to Collonel Richard Abbot, and to all the Officers of Nevis.

I. ALL the Officers and Inhabitants on the Iſland ſhall have good Quarter.

II. Their wearing Apparel ſhall be given them but the reſt carried away.

III. The Governour and all the Officers and Troops ſhall ſurrender Priſoners at War, and all the Inhabitants.

IV. The Governour and Officers ſhall go out with their Arms.

V. The Houſes ſhall be preſerved as much as poſſible.

VI. They ſhall be allotted Houſes to lodge in till we go off the Iſland.

VII. All the Negros ſhall be deliver'd me. I give Collonel Richard Abbot 12, the Preſident 8, the Captain 3, the Lieutenant 2, and the Queen's Commiſſioner 2.

VIII. That they ſet at Liberty Madam Jafart (if ſhe is not dead) who they detain againſt all Right of Nations.

IX. That all their Papers be deliver'd me.

X. That all the Officers and Inhabitants ſhall be at Liberty, on Condition they ſet at Liberty a like Number of French that are in England and on the Engliſh Iſlands, which they ſhall ſend into France or to the French Iſlands.

XII. There ſhall be a Liſt taken of all the Officers and Inhabitants, Women and Children, that are in the Iſland, ſo that a like number may be render'd.

XII. That 4 Hoſtages ſhall be deliver'd me for the performance of the Exchange. Given before the Redoubt of Nevis the 4th of April 1706 New-Stile.

D'Iberville.

[*B.*] *Nevis.*

THeſe are to certify and make known to all People, as well the Engliſh Inhabitants of this Iſland as all other Engliſhmen whatſoever, and alſo to all *Men* of the French Nation under my Command, and others of that Nation; that I D'Iberville Commander in chief of the French Forces by Sea and Land that took the ſaid Iſland of Nevis, have given, bargained, and granted freely unto the ſeveral Inhabitants of this Iſland, that have ſign'd a Treaty or Agreement bearing date the 4th of April 1706, all Negros, Houſes, Mills, Coppers, Stills, Horſes, Cattle, and all other Stock whatſoever, all Goods, Chattels,

tels, and other Commodities and things whatſoever, that were to have been rendred to me, or that I might have taken or deſtroy'd; all which abovemention'd I give and grant, in conſideration of 1400 Negros which the ſaid Gentlemen are to deliver me or order at Martineco, within the ſpace of 6 Months: And in caſe any of the ſaid number of Negros ſhould be wanting, they are to pay at the ſaid Place for every ſuch, the Summ of one *Hundred Pieces* of Eight. My meaning as to that Article of Houſes, is thoſe which are in the ſeveral Towns as alſo in the Country; and that no Negros, Mill's, Coppers and Stills, Horſes and Chattels, ſhall be taken off by any Perſon or Perſons under my Command, or any Houſes burnt, or other harm or prejudice whatſoever done the ſaid Iſland, from the Date hereof, 19th of April 1706. N. S.

D'Iberville.

Portſmouth, June 23. This Evening ſail'd Her Majeſty's Ship the Orford, Captain Cornwal Commander, with ſeveral Veſſels under her Convoy, for the Downes. The great Ships of War and the Tranſports continue at Spithead. The Falcon Pink having repair'd her Damage, is ready to ſail agen for Barcelona with a Pacquet.

At the Deſire of ſeveral Perſons of Quality.

AT the Queen's Theatre in the Hay-Market, this preſent Wedneſday, being the 26th of June, will be preſented a Play, call'd, Sophonisba; or, Hannibal's Overthrow. The part of Sophonisba perform'd by Mrs. Barry. For the Benefit of Mr. Smith. To which will be added, ſelect Entertainments of Singing and Dancing between the Acts, as will be expreſs'd at large in the Bills.

Theſe Plays are Sold by J. Knapton at the Crown in St. Paul's Church yard, and B. Lintott next Nando's Coffee-Houſe, Temple-Bar.

At the CROWN COFFEE-HOUSE behind the Royal Exchange, are Sold freſh EPSOM-WATER, with the reſt of the Purging Waters, at 2 d. per Quart.

To be ſold in Mincing-lane, in a Vault under a Glaziers Houſe, a large Quantity of old French Brandy, Bourdeaux and Coniacks, by the Gallon, Puncheon or Pipe. The Bourdeaux at 7 s. per Gallon, and the Coniacks at 7 s. 6 d. To continue every day till all are ſold.

Beſt Coffee, well roaſted, to be had at 6 s. 8 d. a Pound, at Lawrence Green's, Coffee-Roaſter, in Popping's-Court in Fleet-ſtreet near Fleet-bridge.

Stolen out of the Houſe of Mr. Jacob Adolfe in Duke's-place, on Saturday Morning laſt, about one of the Clock, the following Plate; 2 Silver Tankards, one large and one ſmall; 2 Silver Salvers, one large and one ſmall; 1 large Spice-Box of Wire Silver, with a Vain at the Top and a little Bell, made Steeple faſhion, which commonly the Jews have for a Ceremony; 1 Silver Lamp with 7 Spouts to burn Oyl in; 2 or 3 Dozen of Silver Spoons and Forks; 6 Silver Porringers; a large Silver Cup with 2 Ears on it; one pair of Silver Candleſticks, with a pair of Snuffers and Caſe; 1 large Silver Cup, and a Dozen of large Silver Forks and Spoons; 5 Silver Salt-ſellers, and one Silver gilt-bottom Salt-ſeller with a Man and a Staff in his Hand at the Top; beſides Linnen, and other Goods of conſiderable value. If any Perſon can give Intelligence where the ſame may be found, ſo as to be had again, they ſhall have 10 Guineas Reward of the ſaid Mr. Adolfe; and if offer'd to Sell or Pawn you are deſir'd to ſtop the ſame, and give notice to the ſaid Mr. Adolfe in Duke's-place aforeſaid, or at Jonathan's Coffee-Houſe in Exchange-Alley; and if any part ſhall be diſcover'd, they ſhall receive in Proportion for the ſame.

This Day at Tom's Coffee-Houſe by Ludgate, at Five a Clock, will be continued the Sale of the Library of the Reverend Dr. Urſhevile, late Lecturer of St. Andrew's Holborn, containing a Collection of valuable Books, beginning with the Latin Octavo's amongſt which are the following Books, viz. Catullus Tibullus Not. Var. Senecæ Trag. Not. Var. Petronius Arb. Not. Var. Phædri Fab. Not. Var. Statius Not. Var. Juvenal Not. Var. Martial Not. Var. Ovid 3 Vol. Not. Var. Valerius Max. Not. Var. Rhodii Editio Gr. Lat. Septuaginta Gr. per Daniel. Tullii Opera 2 Vol. per Bleau. Lactantius per Spark, Oxon. Lucretius per Creech. Note, The Glaſs Caſes in which the Library ſtood are to be Sold at a Reaſonable Rate, enquire at the Roſe and Crown in Duck-Lane.

This Day is publiſh'd,

Dunton's Whipping Poſt, or a Satyr upon every Body, to which is added, a Panegerick on the moſt deſerving Gentlemen and Ladies in the Three Kingdoms, with the Whoring Pacquet, or Letters of the Sp——ns and Kept M——ſſes. Vol. the 1ſt. To which is added the Living Elegy, or Dunton's Letter to his few Creditors, with the Character of a Summer Friend; alſo the ſecret Hiſtory of the Weekly Writers in a diſtinct Challenge to each of them. Sold by B. Bragg at the Raven in Pater-Noſter-Row.

Yeſterday was publiſh'd,

Miſcellaneous Tracts: Vol. III. Viz. I. Proving The Adoration of Images; Praying to Angels and Saints; Purgatory; The Doctrine of the Seven Sacraments; Tranſubſtantiation; The Denying of the Cup in the Sacrament to the People; Having Maſſes; The Adoration of the Sacrament; The Prieſts putting the Bread into the Mouths of the Communicants; Being Preſent at the Celebration of the Sacrament, and not Communicating; And, Auricular Confeſſion: To be Doctrines and Practices not known in the Spaniſh Church, in the beginning of the Eighth Century, when it was Diſperſ'd by the Moors Conqueſt of Spain: And that the Spaniſh Kings had an Eccleſiaſtical Supremacy, equal to that which is now in the Crown of England. II. A View of the Methods by which the Roman Church keeps her People from coming to the Knowledge of the Great and Manifold Errors and Corruptions which are in her Faith, Worſhip, and Spirit. III. The Life of Maria de Jeſus of Agreda, the late Famous Spaniſh Nun. IV. An Hiſtory of the Schiſms which have been in the Roman See. V. A View of all the Orders of Monks and Friers in the Roman Church. With an Account of their Founders, Sufficient to help any one to Form a Right Idea of the Men, or of the Writers of their Lives. VI. An Eſſay on the Countries, Religion, Learning, Numbers, Forms of Government, and the Chief Causes of the Succeſſes of the Nations, by which the Roman Empire was pulled Down. VII. An Eſſay on the Canons of the Council of Sardica, particularly on that which Relates to Appeals to Rome. By Michael Geddes, L.L.D and Chancellor of the Church of Sarum. Printed for A. and J. Churchill, at the Black-Swan in Pater-noſter-Row.

Yeſterday was publiſh'd,

A Pindaric on the Battle at Ramelies, alſo Hudibras Redivivus, or a Burleſque Poem on the Times, Part the 11th, giving an account of the Quakers, &c. Both ſold by B. Bragg in Pater-noſter-Row, where the other Ten parts are to be had at 6 d. each.

Poſthumous Works of *Mr.* John Locke: Viz. I. Of the Conduct of the Underſtanding. II. An Examination of F. Malebranche's Opinion of Seeing all things in God. III. A Diſcourſe of Miracles. IV. Part of a Fourth Letter for Toleration. V. Memoirs relating to the Life of Anthony firſt Earl of Shaftsbury. To which is added, VI. His New Method of a Common-Place-Book, written originally in French, and now tranſlated into Engliſh. Printed for A. and J. Churchill at the Black Swan in Pater-Noſter-Row.

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The Incomparable India Dentifficke Roots, only to be had at Thomas Allcraft's a Toy-ſhop at the Sign of the Bluecoat-Boy over againſt the Royal Exchange; and at Young-Man's Coffee-Houſe near Chairing-Croſs, price 6 d. each Root. This Root dipped in fair Water, and bruis'd with a Hammer, becomes a ſoft and pleaſant Bruſh to the Teeth and Gums, afterwards pairing away by degrees the outward Rind, wears ſo to the laſt. Its Vertues are beyond any Human Art for cleaning the Teeth, as to bring them to the Whiteneſs of Ivory in a few times uſing; it preſerves your Teeth from corruption and prevents farther decay in any before corrupted, whoever uſes it two or three times a day will ever avoid Tooth-ach, having foul Teeth, or a ſtrong Breath, nor is this Root in its uſe any wiſe offenſive to ſmell or taſte.

A new Secret to cure the Tooth-ach though never ſo violent or proceeding from what cauſe ſoever, is communicated by a Gentleman, (who hath travelled through moſt parts of Europe) to a Friend of his, which if us'd according to direction is the moſt effectual and ſpeedy remedy ever yet known, not only for giving preſent eaſe, but likewiſe preventing its returning for a conſiderable time, is admitted to be ſold only at the Golden Lamp a Tinſhop on London-bridge by the Gate, at a Comb-maker at the corner of the Minories near Aldgate, at the King's-Arms in Stocks-Market Confectioner-Shop, at the Caſe and Knives and Spur in Great Turnſtile Holborn, Cutler, and at the Sugar-Loaf over-againſt old Round Court in the Strand Confectioner, at 1 s. a Paper ſeal'd up with Directions.

A ſafe Cure for the worſt of Corns, following but the Directions nothing can exceed it; its not only a pretended noble Cure, but a real and effectual, keeping the Feet eaſy and free from Pain till you are intirely rid of them; and not only differing from all others, but was practis'd many Years by this Author before any thing was publiſh'd in Imitation of it. It is to be had at Mrs. Gartoways at the South entrance of the Royal Exchange, at Mrs. Forſter's a Toy-ſhop at the Hoſpital-gate Weſt-Smithfield, at Mr. Beſouth's a Cutlers Shop at the Sign of the Ship on the middle of London-Bridge, at Mrs. Edmond's the corner of Beerbinder-Lane Stocks-Market, at Mr. Standiſh at the Black-Boy juſt without Biſhops-gate, and no where elſe. Seal'd up with a Dove carrying an Olive-branch, price 6 d.

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The Lord Biſhop of Glocester's Vindication of himſelf from the Exceptions taken by Dr. Sherlock at his late Diſcourſe concerning the Deſcent of the Man Chriſt Jeſus, &c. As alſo Juſtice done to Human Souls, in a ſhort view of Mr. Dodwell's late Book, wherein he vainly pretends to prove from Scripture and Fathers that the Soul is a Principle naturally Mortal. Both Printed for John Wyat at the Roſe in St. Paul's Church-yard.

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